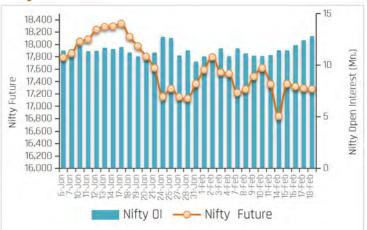
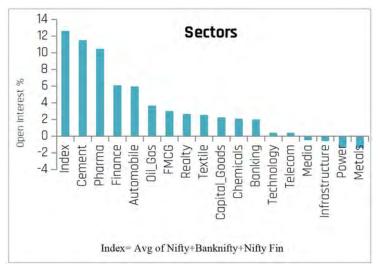
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PARTICULARS	Last Closing	Previous Week	% Change
NIFTY SPOT	17276	17375	-0.57
NIFTY FUTURES	17278	17356	-0.45
BANKNIFTY SPOT	37599	38517	-2.38
BANKNIFTY FUTURES	37591	38518	-2.40
NIFTY PCR	1.10	1.09	0.92
NIFTY PCR-VOL	0.98	0.99	-1.01
NIFTY OI(In Mn)	12.76	10.92	16.85
BANKNIFTY OI(In Mn)	2.18	2.13	2.35
INDIA VIX	22.17	18.68	18.68
NIFTY BASIS POINTS	1.75	-18.95	109.23

Nifty OI Trend



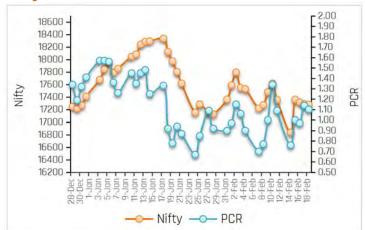


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Index Outlook

Last week, the domestic equity benchmark indices remained volatile and settled on negative note amid escalating tensions between Russia and Ukraine, rising crude oil prices, and higher inflation put pressure on the market. Finally, Nifty Future closed at 17278 down by 0.45% (WoW) with an addition in open interest of 16.85% (WoW) indicating uncertainty for short term. During the week, India VIX shoots up by 18.68% and closed at 22.17%, indicating volatility will remain high. Another derivatives indicator, Nifty Put-Call ratio currently stands at 1.10, up by 0.92% (WoW). Technically, the index has found the support of 200 DSMA and a short-term trend line. On the back of that, the index has witnessed a relief rally and registered a high of 17491. However, the index has failed to cross resistance of 100 DSMA (17617) and settled the week at 17276. For the short term, 17000 and 16800 will act as support points for the index, whereas 17500 and 17620 will act as resistance points. Thus, as long as as the index holds above 16800, the upmove will continue in the index for 17600-18000. On the flip side, if the index closes below 16800, then weakness till 16000-15800 could be possible. Going forward, new Covid variant cases, F&O expiry, geopolitical tensions between Russia and Ukraine, Rupee movement against the Dollar, bond yields movement, assembly polls, Fii's flow, global cues, and crude oil price movement will dictate the trend on the bourses next week.

Nifty FutVsPcr



Sectoral Activity

- Last week, Cement, Pharma, Finance, Automobile, and Oil&Gas sectors saw open interest addition. Top names included AMBUJACEM, JKCEMENT, METROPOLIS, CIPLA, MANAPPURAM, RECLTD, BALKRISIND, MOTHERSUMI, GUJGASLTD and PETRONET.
- 2. **Metals** and **Power** sectors saw open interest unwinding on the back of profit booking in stocks.
- In the Banking space, ICICIBANK, IDFCFIRSTB, RBLBANK, AUBANK, CANBK and CUB saw short build up, while long unwinding seen in BANKBARODA, SBIN, AXISBANK, and FEDERALBNK.
- This week, some buying can be seen in MPHASIS, HDFC, TATACONSUM, CUMMINSIND and SIEMENS while selling pressure can be seen in LALPATHLAB, CUB, and IDFCFIRSTB.
- From sector space, Power, Metals, Technology Auto, Banking, Pharma, and Cement stocks are likely to remain in focus in the forthcoming week.



Stocks to Watch Out (Weekly)



Long Unwinding				
Symbol	Price	OI Change	Price Change	
TATAPOWER	225.55	-13%	-3%	
NTPC	132.75	-13%	-3%	
FEDERALBNK	97.75	-10%	-5%	
JINDALSTEL	412.65	-10%	-6%	

Short Build-up				
Symbol	Price	OI Change	Price Change	
METROPOLIS	1,997.40	107%	-14%	
CIPLA	908.75	60%	-5%	
MANAPPURAM	120.85	57%	-21%	
AMBUJACEM	338.55	45%	-8%	

Short covering				
Symbol	Price	OI Change	Price Change	
BATAINDIA	1,918.05	-13%	3%	
DIVISLAB	4,352.00	-13%	1%	
COROMANDEL	803.80	-12%	3%	
CUMMINSIND	966.35	-5%	3%	

Weekly Recommendation

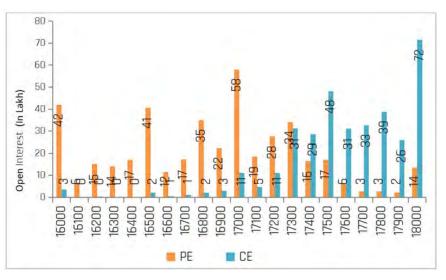
MPHASIS (3018.45) -The stock has seen open interest addition of 4.84% along with positive price action indicating long build-up. The stock can be bought in the range of 2980-2990 with a stop loss of 2910 on closing basis for a target of 3100-3150.

Target: 3150 Stop Loss: 2910

CUB (128.85) - The stock has seen open interest addition of 4.38% along with negative price action indicating short build-up. The stock can be sold in the range of 130-131 with a stop loss of 136 on closing basis for a target of 126-120.

Target: 120 Stop Loss: 136

Nifty Options Snapshot



From the OI Concentration (24-Feb Series), Maximum addition of open interest on the call options front exists at the strike prices of 17500 and 18000 (with nearly 48.09 lacs, and 71.54 lacs shares outstanding respectively). This indicates that 17500 and 18000 levels would act as the resistance zone on the upside. On the Put options front, maximum addition of open interest is at the strike prices of 17000, and 16500 (with nearly 57.98 lacs, and 40.56 lacs shares outstanding respectively), indicating that 17000 and 16500 levels would act as the stronger support zone on the downside.

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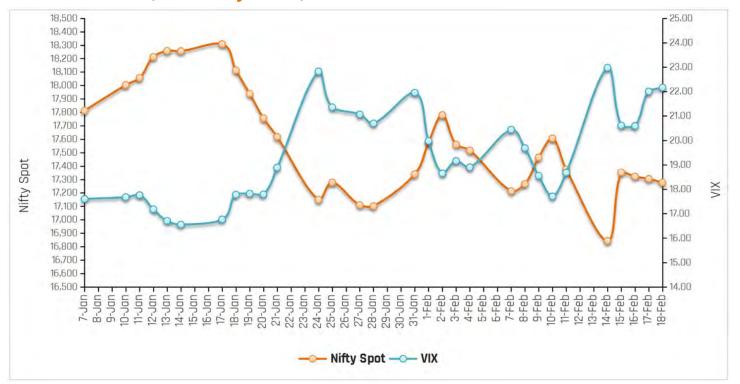
FII Stats (5 Days Trend)

(Rs. Cr.)	18-Feb	17-Feb	16-Feb	15-Feb	14-Feb
INDEX FUTURES	729.16	890.39	554.84	1748.89	-252.77
INDEX OPTIONS	-5069.24	7017.01	-810.37	8198.93	254.86
STOCK FUTURES	483.02	899.71	492.83	2280.79	556.51
STOCK OPTIONS	27.68	-149.72	-220.29	217.17	-538.31

FII Open Interest Activity (Long& Short Ratio)

Date	Index Fut: Long/Short	Index Option: Long /Short	Index put: long /Short	Stock Fut Long/Short
11-Feb	0.93	1.27	1.93	1.10
14-Feb	0.90	1.22	1.88	1.12
15-Feb	1.16	1,45	1.81	1.17
16-Feb	1.23	1.44	1.76	1.18
17-Feb	1.36	1.61	2.12	1.19
18-Feb	1.47	1.39	1.68	1.20

NIFTY VS INDIA VIX (Last 30 Days Trend)



Observation: Any rise in India Vix this week would lead to either side movement in the Index. As per the above chart, India Vix has strong support at around 16.50 and resistance stands at 24.00.

Weekly Advance Decline Ratio (Nifty Stocks)

Advances	17
Declines	20
Unchanged	13

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